



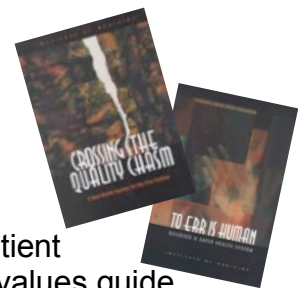
Patient Wellness Handout (PWH)

The Office of Information Technology released the PWH version 1.0 in September 2006 as a part of the PCC Health Summary Patch 15 (APCH)

- ◆ The PWH combines features of the RPMS Health Summary with the concepts of the IOM and the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality.

Background

- ◆ The Institute of Medicine (IOM) identifies six quality aims for health care:
 - ▼ Safety
 - ▼ Effectiveness
 - ▼ Timeliness
 - ▼ Efficiency
 - ▼ Equity
 - ▼ Patient-centeredness
 - “Respectful and responsive care provided to individual patient preferences, needs, and values and ensures that patient values guide all clinical decisions.”



Purpose

- ◆ The PWH has been designed to:
 - ▼ Promote patient centered care
 - ▼ Provide tools a patient requires to improve collaboration with providers
 - ▼ Provide patients with personal health information to enable them to make appropriate health decisions

■ Immunizations due
■ Weight, Height, BMI
■ Blood pressure
■ Allergies
■ Current medications

Future Plans

Collecting requirements from clinicians and patients for version 2.0 of the PWH until May 1st 2007. Please send enhancement requests to: chris.lamer@ihs.gov